

EXHIBIT 1:

Targeted Justice's October 31, 2023 FOIA Request

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How you will pay

I am requesting a fee waiver for my request and have reviewed the FOIA reference guide. If my fee waiver is denied, I would like to limit my request to the two free hours of searching and 100 duplicated pages.

Proof Of Affiliation for Fee Waiver

Waiver Explanation

Targeted Justice currently has almost 10,000 subscribers and over 115,000 thousands views a month in its Substack newsletter. Thus, pursuant to 47 CFR 0.466 it is a news media organization. Targeted Justice hereby requests a fee waiver of search, review, and duplication fees on the grounds that disclosure of the requested records is in the public interest because it is likely to significantly contribute to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government and is not primarily in the commercial interest of the requester. See 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(A)(iii); see also 22 C.F.R. 171.17(a); 28 C.F.R. 16.11(k); 32 C.F.R. 286.28(d); 32 C.F.R. 1900.13(b)(2). Furthermore, a waiver of search and review fees is warranted inasmuch as Targeted Justice will report the results of this endeavor on the grounds that Targeted Justice qualifies as a representative of the news media and that the records are not sought for commercial use. See 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(7); 32 C.F.R. 1900.02(h)(3), 1900.13(i)(2).

Documentation Files

Non-Individual FOIA Request

Request Information

This letter constitutes a request under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552, on behalf of Targeted Justice Inc. I request that a copy of the following documents [or documents containing the following information] be provided to Targeted Justice:

1. All documents containing all the identities removed from the Terrorist Screening Databases Handling Codes 3 and 4 due to the persons death, including date of removal.

The term document is to be liberally construed to include any file, paper, microfilm, digital archive, or any other format where the information sought may be stored.

Targeted Justice's status as a news organization that provides information of public interest to its members warrants the expedited processing of this Request on the grounds that there is a compelling need for these records because the information requested is urgently needed by an organization primarily engaged in disseminating information in order to inform the public about actual or alleged Federal Government activity. See 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(6)(E)(v)(II); see also 22 C.F.R. 171.12(b)(2); 28 C.F.R. 16.5(d)(1)(ii); 32 C.F.R. 286.4(d)(3)(ii); 32 C.F.R. 1900.34(c)(2).

Request for expedited processing

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Targeted Justice also requests the expedited processing of this request on the grounds that the records and documents requested relate to a breaking news story of general public interest. Furthermore, they present a matter of widespread and exceptional media interest in which there exist possible questions about the governments integrity which affect public confidence.

Expedited processing is warranted when the information is relevant to a subject of public urgency concerning an actual or alleged Federal government activity See 22 C.F.R. 171.12(b)(2)(i); 32 C.F.R. 286.4(d)(3)(ii)(A); see also 28 C.F.R. 16.5(d)(1)(iv); 32 C.F.R. 1900.34(c)(2).

In light of the above, Targeted Justice requests that your agency adheres to the legal mandate contained in 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(6)(A)(i); see 28 C.F.R. 16.6(b), (c) and consequently produce within 20 days of receipt of this request the information sought.

Request for Fee Waiver

Furthermore, a waiver of search and review fees is warranted inasmuch as Targeted Justice will report the results of this endeavor on the grounds

that Targeted Justice qualifies as a representative of the news media and that the records are not sought for commercial use. See 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(7); 32 C.F.R. 1900.02(h)(3), 1900.13(i)(2). For any document you fail to produce, Targeted Justice requests that you provide a Vaughn Index and declaration setting forth reasonably detailed explanations for each withheld document as to why it falls within any statutory exemption. See Vaughn v. Rosen, 484 F.2d 820 (D.C. Cir. 1973).

Expedite

Expedite Reason

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